Dear Sir

I return you the proof sheet is now nearly correct.

I have given Mr Banks a list of all the apparatus wanted for the first four lectures. I cannot well go further at present. Probably I shall require little more except that you have; a simple apparatus for freezing mercury to be exhibited in the 8th lecture. This I shall give a sketch of as soon as Mr Banks has returned all the apparatus which he has. I am

Dr Sir

29th Oct 1813

Yours &c.
Thos Thomson

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